better opportunity to effect it. Col Rawlings and Mr Murdock will April 3 continue their Exertions to procure Provisions as far as it is necessary, and we have ordered a Quantity of Cattle and some Salt Provisions from Prince George's County for your Supply, though the Troops here lay us under considerable Difficulties to Supply them, we would with Pleasure lend you some Money but in Truth our Treasury is at present empty and therefore it is not in our Power

[Council to Thomas Sprigg, Esqr.]

Ibid. p. 107

The Convention Troops at Frederick Town are ordered by this Board to Fort Frederick. Col. Wood who has the Charge of them has applied to us for a Guard of Militia which we desire you to furnish on his Request on Application to us we will order a Relief from the Militia of Frederick County

[Council to Capt Gilbert Middleton.]

Ibid.

You will proceed with the Fleet under Commodore Nicholson up the River Severn whenever he may think it necessary.

Wednesday 4th April 1781

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Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Benjamin Stod- No. 24 dert two pounds ten Shillings to be delivered over to Christopher p. 66 Lowndes due him per Account passed by the Aud. Gen¹

That the said Treasurer pay to William Kilty Surgeon of the 6th Regim^t who was taken prisoner in Carolina Fifty pounds agreeable to a Resolution of the General Assembly

That the said Treasurer pay to Major Levin Winder of the 1st Regim^t eighty nine pounds fourteen Shillings and nine pence and also fifty pounds in lieu of orders on the Eastern shore Treasurer

That the said Treasurer pay to Jas Maccubbin one hundred & four p. 67 pounds due him as Cl[erk] to the Sen[ate] from the 1st Novem to 1st Inst

Ordered that the western shore Treasurer pay to Lieut John Kilty of Baylors Corps late a Prisoner fifty pounds agreeable to a Resolution of the Gen¹ Assembly on Acco^t

That the Armourer deliver to the Officer appointed by Gen¹ Smallwood seventy two Muskets with Accourtements complete and twenty four rounds of Cartridges to be accounted for.

Commissions issued to John Day Jun^r appointed Capt in the room of Samuel Groome Osborne, George B. Presbury first Lieut & Joseph Presbury Jun^r Ens. in the 8th Batt of Militia, also to Aaron Grace Capt in the room of Syrus Osborne David Thompson first Lieut in the 23^d Battalion of Militia in Harford County.